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LOCAL & PERSONAL

FOR SALE—Mules and one small
black Saddle. R. C. Bless.
B. G. Wiemers was down from
Bandera on business yesterday.
An iceless refrigerator, the Kelvin
Hondo Lumber Co. sells the
electric refrigerator. t.f.
All kinds of fountain drinks at
POTTER'S CONFECTIONERY. t.f.
FOR SALE—cheap, large two-
story barn, two floors. Apply at this
2tce.
Mr. Armine Schneider of Rio
was here on business Wed-
nesday.

FOR SALE—Several real Jersey
cows with heifer calves. C. F.
BASS.
Mrs. W. B. Shelton of Goliad has
been visiting her sister, Mrs. A. L.
Lester.

Mr. Ed Ingram had as his guest on
Tuesday his cousin, a Mr. Joiner, of
Chicago, Illinois.

The week-end guest of miss
Alice Schneider was miss Alice
of Tarpley.

Mr. Tom Laxson returned Sunday
from an auto trip to Colorado, where
spent part of the holidays.

Wanted, to rent a small farm with
quarters, wood, water, etc.,
small family. Notify this office.
Mr. Joe Harvey Wilson of Harlingen
spent the latter part of the hol-
days with his mother, Mrs. Isaac
Isaac.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Renkin of San
Antonio were guests of Judge and
Mrs. H. E. Haas and other relatives
Monday.

Mrs. Louis Scherer and Mrs.
Dence Isom and sons, Sherrill and
Mary of San Antonio spent Sunday
with relatives here.

J. T. HORGER IS AGAIN SHARP-
ENING SAWS, SCISSORS AND
AZORS AT HIS OLD STAND-
BERGER'S SHOP. 4t

Mrs. W. R. Routt and daughter,
Mae, have moved in from the
home on the south side.

Mrs. Charlotte Miller who has
been employed in Uvalde for the
several months is visiting her
parents Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Miller.

We call attention to the series of
articles in this paper entitled, "The
Year of Salvation," written by Rev.
T. Horger. They are worth read-

Mc Milton Haegelin was the guest
of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Schuchart at
their home during the holi-
days. While there he killed his first
turkey.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Janszen and
their guest, Mrs. W. B. Shelton of
Goliad, spent last week-end in Eagle
Pass as the guests of Mr. and Mrs.
C. McDuff.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lamb and
son, Ross King, of Houston
spent the latter part of the holidays
with Mrs. Lamb's parents, Mr. and
Mrs. V. P. King.

Mrs. K. B. Schilling and daughter,
Nancy, left Saturday for their home
in Vicksburg, Miss., after a holiday
with Mrs. Schilling's parents,
George and Mrs. Ed de Montel.

The name of Monroe Haas was
listed for the \$220 at the Colonial
Theatre Tuesday night. See Colonial
program for further announcement
regarding next cash night.

Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Schneider and
daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Neu-
man and son, and Miss Alice Sprott
of Tarpley spent New Year's Day
at Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Neuman.

Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Schneider and
daughters, Lucille and Tillie, spent
Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. August
Neuman and Mr. and Mrs. Armine
Schneider and family at Rio Medina.

Malcolm McCants, Rice Institute
student of Houston, was the holiday
guest of Jake Schuehle. Also guests
of Jake's over the week-end were
Andy Anderson and Strick Reily of
Houston.

Messrs. B. G. Wiemers, manager
of the Alamo Lumber Co. at Bandera,
and Walter Trenkelbach, erector of
old stone buildings in that pretty
little city, were business visitors
to Hondo Saturday.

The horse races at Alamo Downs
in San Antonio, since their opening
on January 1, 1937, are claiming
many local race fans each day, good
weather or bad. We are unable to
name all the names.

IS YOUR INSURANCE MAN,
ONE WHO LIVES AMONG YOU;
OR ONE JUST PASSING THRU?
For Every Form of Insurance
See O. H. MILLER, Hondo, Texas,
Since 1907.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jackson of
Austin and Mrs. Charles J. Schuehle
were in D'Hanis Wednesday after-
noon, January 6, 1937, to help their
son, Mr. J. B. Ney, celebrate his
50th birthday anniversary.

FOR SALE—Single disc plow, one
horse 5-drill seeder, hay rake, mow-
er, machine planter, cultivator, wag-
gon, middle-breaker plow, walking
plow and miscellaneous farm items.

MRS. PETER WEYNAND, t.f.
Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Davis and sons,
D. M. Jr. and Rothe, left New Year's
day for their home in Paris, Texas,
after a week's visit with their par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Rothe and
Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Davis.

The Hondo Anvil Herald.

HONDO, MEDINA COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JAN. 8, 1937.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TO MEET.

We are requested to announce that
the annual election of Directors of
the Hondo Chamber of Commerce
will be held in the District Court-
room at the courthouse Wednesday
night, January 13th, at 7:30 o'clock.
Besides the election of officers other
matters of importance are to be at-
tended to, and all who can should at-
tend. Keep the time and place in
mind and be on hand.

COUNTY OFFICERS QUALIFY.

At a called session of the Commis-
sioners' Court held Friday, January
1, 1937, all county and precinct of-
ficers qualified and were inducted
into office for the new term.

Only one change occurred in the
personnel of the county officers,
County Judge R. J. Noonan retiring
after having served eleven consecu-
tive terms, and being succeeded by
Arthur H. Rothe, elected without op-
position last November.

D'Hanis and Devine Commissioners;
Precincts sent new commissioners,
Ben Koch succeeding Oscar Tondre
at D'Hanis and Mr. Hardcastle suc-
ceeding Mr. Roberson from Devine.

FOLKERT MUENNINK DEAD.

Mr. Folkert Muennink, a former
citizen of Medina County, died about
2 o'clock Thursday morning. His
remains were brought to Hondo for
interment, but at the hour of closing
our forms arrangements were not
completed for the funeral.

NOTICE TO RANCHMEN.

Please leave your shooting pre-
serve licenses at the Anvil Herald
office as soon as the hunting season
is closed so that they may be checked
by me.

MELVIN E. WILLIAMS,
State Game Warden.

Woodley and Noonan In- ducted Into Office

IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY AT ASSUMPTION OF DUTIES BY NEW DISTRICT JUDGE AND DISTRICT ATTORNEY AT OPEN- ING OF DISTRICT COURT MONDAY.

Hons. K. K. Woodley and R. J. R. L. Ball, San Antonio; and Hon.
Noonan, District Judge and District H. P. Hornby, Uvalde. The speakers
Attorney, respectively, were formally
inducted into their offices Monday
by appropriate exercises under the
auspices of the local bar. At the
hour for the opening of the January
term of the court, and in the absence
of Judge Lee Wallace, Judge L. J.
Brucks of the local bar, called the
assemblage to order and stated the
purpose of the gathering. As master
of ceremonies, he introduced the
various speakers and called the follow-
ing in the order named:

Judge Wm. Aubrey, San Antonio;
Judge Green B. Fenley, Uvalde;
Judge W. C. Linden, San Antonio;
Judge I. L. Martin, Uvalde; Judge A.
N. Moursund, San Antonio; Judge
R. L. Ball, San Antonio; and Hon.
H. P. Hornby, Uvalde. The speakers
paid tribute to the character and of-
ficial service of Hon. Lee Wallace of
Kerrville, retiring Judge of this Ju-
dicial District, and extended congratula-
tions to the newly elected officials,
and expressed confidence in their
ability and character.

The counsel of the old nestors of
the bar, as they reviewed the toils
and trials of the legal profession and
paid tribute to the laws by which we
are governed and the importance of
their interpretation and enforcement
was indeed heartening in this day
of changing ideals and lax observ-
ance of the ancient precedents.
Judge Martin's exposition of the
Constitution as the great safeguard

of our liberties was especially timely
and appropriate.

Following the speaking, Judge
Brucks administered the oath of of-
fice to the incoming officials and
both Judge Woodley and Judge
Noonan made graceful and gracious
acknowledgement of the compliment
paid them by the electorate in elect-
ing them and to the bar and their
laymen friends who had so befittingly
inducted them into their responsi-
ble positions.

After taking oath, District Judge
Woodley announced the appointment
of Mrs. Mabel Knox of Uvalde as of-
ficial Court Reporter of the 38th
Judicial District. Mrs. Knox took the
oath of office.

Court was then formally opened
by Sheriff Chas. J. Schuehle.

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On Monday, January 4, 1937, fol-
lowing the induction ceremonies, the
January term of the District Court
of Medina County was formally op-
ened by Sheriff C. J. Schuehle at the
courthouse in Hondo. The following
officers were present:

Hon. K. K. Woodley, Judge 38th
Judicial District, presiding.

Hon. R. J. Noonan, District Attorney.

Emil Britsch, District Clerk.

Chas. J. Schuehle, Sheriff.

Mrs. Mabel Knox, Court Stenog-
rapher.

The Court proceeded to empanel a

Grand Jury composed of the follow-
ing: James Amberson, Otto Marquis,
Earl Starnes, Joe A. Bader, Julius
Wurzbach, Geo. Briscoe, Jr., John
C. Redus, Gus Rothe, Martin A.
Zinsmeyer, Charlie Hartman, Ed
Haby and Frank M. Finger. James
Amberson was appointed foreman,
and Henry Crutchfield, V. P. King
and Frank Killough as bailiffs. Or-
turo Ortiz was sworn in as interpreter
for the Court. The Grand Jury
retired to enter upon the discharge of
its duties and as we go to press
Thursday afternoon is returning into
open court its indictments.

The Petit Jurors for the first week
of the January term were notified
not to appear. The following pro-
ceedings were conducted during the
first week.

J. E. Whiteside, et al vs. Bexar-Me-
dina-Atascosa Counties Water Im-
provement District No. 1, continued.

W. C. French, et al, vs. Bexar-Me-
dina-Atascosa Counties Water Im-
provement District No. 1, continued.

C. L. Wells vs. E. G. Pope. Plain-
tiff ordered, adjudged and decreed
by Court to have and recover from
said defendant the sum of \$868.94,
with interest thereon at the rate of
7% per annum from the date of the
judgment until paid, and for all costs

SPARKS

Being News, Views and Reviews

By the
MANAGING EDITOR.

GREETINGS!

To have life and feel the glow
and flow of sentiment,
To be rich in friends and see in
each the human and divine,
To have health and joyous hope
for great achievement,
And to ignore the little things
that tend to undermine,
Is to realize upon the good in
life in great abundance, and that
is the New Year's wish of

CLAYTON RAND

of Mississippi

for 1937.

GREETINGS FROM A FRIEND.

Among the numerous personal
greetings that gladdened the holiday
season for the M. E., the following is
hereewith publicly acknowledged with
grateful appreciation:

"I sought for Joy,

And found it

In the handclasp of a friend
And just a sort of feeling
He'd be with me to the end.

For worldly things are made by men,
But only God could make a friend."

The final pages of 1936 have been
turned and the Volume is closed—but
fond memories remain. Your
name has a special page in my

Book of Life. May the New Year
bring you much happiness is the
sincere wish of your friend

H. P. HORNBY.

Uvalde, Texas,

Dec. 31, 1936.

COMMENDATION FOR OUR SCHOOL

Austin, Texas,
December 14, 1936.

Mr. J. G. Barry,
Superintendent of Schools,
Hondo, Texas.

Dear Sir:

I am very pleased to notify you
that at the annual session of the
Central Reviewing Committee of the
Southern Association of Colleges and
Secondary Schools held in Richmond,
Virginia, on the 1-3 instant, your
high school was elected to member-
ship in the Southern Association for
the current year.

I wish to congratulate you and
your board of education for the very
excellent record of your high school.
The vote of the Central Reviewing
Committee on your school was unani-
mous and did not carry a single criti-
cism of your institution. In this re-
markable showing, please accept the
congratulations of the State Execu-
tive Committee of the Southern As-

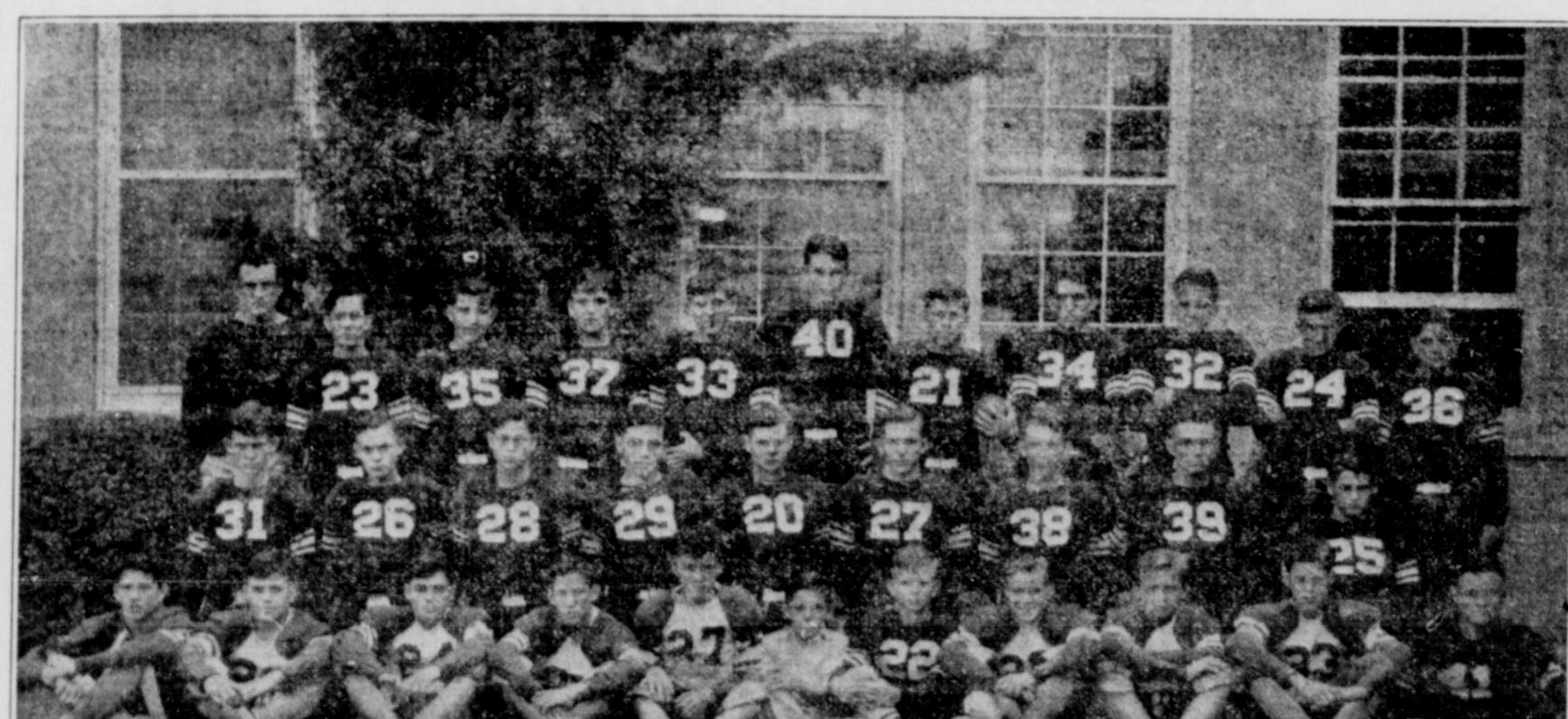


PROF. J. G. BARRY.

Superintendent Hondo High School.
Association of Colleges and Secondary
Schools.

Yours very truly,
J. W. O'BANION,
Chairman State Committee.

NORTH ZONE DISTRICT 40-B CHAMPIONS



High School News

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CHORAL CLUB.

The Junior Chamber of Commerce of San Antonio is sponsoring a series of broadcasts given by South Texas schools. At the end of these broadcasts, four silver cups are to be given to the four schools that have given the most pleasing programs, based on the decision given by three judges.

Hondo High School Glee Club will present a program January 10th, Sunday afternoon, from 4:00 to 4:30. Superintendent J. G. Barry will make a three minute talk. The program will consist of numbers sung by the Chorus and Sextette.

Songs that are to be sung by the chorus are:

1. The Song of the Danube.
2. Just For To-day.
3. Come Unto Me.
4. The Royal Minuet.

The sextette will render the following:

1. Cradle Song.
2. Mighty Lak a Rose.

Members of the Choral Club are: Margaret Ann Knopp, Mildred Van Fleet, Mary Louise Haegelin, Emma Zeigenbalg, Mildred Martin, Frances Ruth Fly, Kathleen Reily, Betty Jean Merriman, Patricia Ney, Billy Merritt, Zonia Taylor, Annie Marie Saathoff, Gwen Gray, Ginger Fusselman, Minnie Doyle Schweers, Mary Ann Noonan, Judy Lacy, Geraldine Haegelin, Sue Muennink, Adell Pichot, Josephine Dawson, Bonnie Cameron, Elizabeth Reynolds, Sis Meyer, Evelyn Dawson, Helen Burgin, Fay Carter, Evelyn Haegelin, Ada Bell Carter, Wanda Redmond, Eva Ernest, Kathryn Coffey, La Verne Ulrich, Merle McCall, Jo Reily, Adelle Scott, Florene Williams, Zelda Schweers, Helen Benton, Anna L. Renkin, Gladys Britsch and Georgia Mae Muennink.

Members of the sextette are: Anna Marie Saathoff, Zonia Taylor, Gwen Gray, Ginger Fusselman, Ada Bell Carter, and Jo Reily.

Owlets— HITHER AND THITHER.

Cecelia Braden of Austin visited Bonnie Jack Cameron during the Christmas holidays.

Charles Finger was in Sabinal Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Janice Jones of San Marcos and formerly of Hondo visited Ginger Fusselman and other friends during the holidays.

Kathleen and Jo Reily visited relatives in Centerville, Texas, during the holidays.

Anna Marie Saathoff spent Sunday in San Antonio.

Vernell Stiegler visited in San Antonio Friday.

Wanda Dawson spent last weekend in Austin.

Gladys Britsch spent the Xmas holidays in Bandera.

Betty Jack Rollins visited Mildred Van Fleet over the holidays.

Tommy Allen of Columbus, Texas, visited his cousins, James and Gwen Gray, during the holidays.

Cecille Brown and Joyce Caraway of Nixon were the guests of Margaret Ann and Evelyn Knopp during the holidays.

Juanita Dawson spent the Xmas holidays in San Antonio.

The H. H. S. graduates who visited in Hondo during the holidays were Kyle Muennink, Benny Oefinger, Carroll Jones, Ted Dawson, and Ralph Noonan from Schreiner Institute; Jean McCall from Mary Hardin-Baylor College; Lela Grace Reily from Baylor University; Evelyn Barnes, Fern Ulrich, Hugh Meyer, Adelle Scott, Mary Bell Embrey, and Mrs. Roland Gaines.

SELF-RELIANCE.

Self-Reliance—how few of us really understand the meaning and importance of this word. It is one which, in the hustle and bustle of the modern world we have forgotten to analyze and one whose importance we do not seem to fully comprehend.

We people of today are afraid to say what we think, and, therefore, we must rely upon someone else. How many of us there are who fail to make for ourselves a place in the world, not because we lack originality, but because we are afraid to utilize it to the fullest extent and to the best advantage.

Truly most of us can well be called, in the words of Emerson, "parlor soldiers", those who depend, even in their conversation, upon their associates. We who live in the world today have just as much initiative as our predecessors, but our apparent lack of it lies in our failure to utilize or "cash in" on this initiative. Therefore, if, in the past, we have been "copy-cats", in the future let's try and rely upon ourselves instead of on others.

Owlets— UNCHEON.

Miss Evelyn Knopp entertained a group of her friends with a luncheon New Year's Eve immediately following the dance. A beautifully decorated tree and other Christmas decorations added a charming touch to the occasion.

Buffet style was used to serve fruit cocktail, chicken and pimento cheese sandwiches, cookies, olives, and coffee, to the following guests: Misses Doris Windrow, Frances Haegelin, Annette Rothe, Milton Marie Merritt, Gwen Gray, Ginger Fusselman, Evelyn Barnes, Billy Merritt, Miss Frye, Mrs. Earl Starnes, Misses Anna L. Weihausen, Cecile Brown, Joyce Cataway, Mary Emma Finger, and hostesses, Evelyn Knopp, Margaret Ann Knopp, Mrs. T. B. Knopp; Messrs. Bill DuBose, Dr. John Henry Meyer, Homer Rothe, Albert and Joe Haegelin, Charles Tondre, Bill Heyen, Fred Bader, Melville Smith, Bonnard Rothe, Hugh Meyer, Jackie Schuehle, Mr. Earl Starnes, Mr. Firth, Mr. Stavano, and host, Dr. Knopp.

Owlets— MID-TERM EXAMINATIONS.

Mid-term exams will be given on Friday, Monday, and Tuesday, January 15, 18, and 19. The schedule will be published later.

School months will end on Tuesday from now on; and report cards will be issued on Thursday. The fourth month includes the review for the examinations; therefore report cards will not be given out until after the exams. At that time, the fourth monthly grades, the exam grades, and the term averages will be posted.

With eleven days of vacation behind you, and with testing time only a few days hence, make each intervening day count to the utmost. Surprise yourself in what you can accomplish.

Owlets— SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS ENTERTAINS.

Saturday evening the Young People's Class of the Baptist Church entertained with a Mexican supper at the home of Mrs. Roland Gaines.

The menu was as follows: Enchiladas, chili, beans, Spanish rice, tomato and lettuce salad, cornsticks, coffee.

Those present were: Gwen Gray, Janice Jones, Ginger Fusselman, Zonia Taylor, Jean McCall, Merle McCall, Wanda Dawson, Juanita Dawson, Dorothy Mae Moore, Adelle Scott, Mary Bell Embrey, and Mrs. Roland Gaines.

Owlets— F. F. A. NEWS.

The Hondo Chapter of Future Farmers will conduct the program next Monday afternoon for the P. T. A. The program will consist of a recitation of the aims and purposes of the F. F. A., the history of the organization and the F. F. A. creed, as well as other things pertaining to the Future Farmers organization.

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The regular meeting of the F. F. A. organization will be held this afternoon in the Science room.

Owlets— BASKETBALL NEWS.

The Hondo town team, the Redbirds, will probably play a game with some San Antonio team tonight at the fair grounds gym. There will probably be a game here each night this week if teams can be found to oppose the Redbirds.

Owlets—

How much easier do we find it to commend a good action than to imitate it.—Anon.

CO-OPERATIVE MARKETING.

By V. M. Couch

There is a difference of opinion in regard to the success of co-operative organizations in marketing farm products. Successful co-operation in the harvesting of farm produce is too large a problem to solve all at once. A definite plan of concerted action should be decided upon.

Great progress has been made during past years in selling agricultural products co-operatively, and much more progress will be made in future years. It is but logical that the producers should desire to do their own marketing, as there is a wide margin between the price he receives for the products and the price paid for them by the consumer. The movement as a whole is of tremendous scope and should be handled only by individuals who are experienced in dealing with large problems.

In some instances, one weakness of the co-operative system is that it is being promoted by professional organizers who have some selfish motive, or as in other instances, by enthusiasts who are incapable of realizing the immensity of the problem that they have to work out. For maximum results farmers should be content with gradual development of the co-operative market movement. It is not advisable to begin on too large a scale. It is imperative that co-operative marketing associations be properly managed from the start.

It would most likely mean a failure for an inexperienced person to attempt the management of an organization that is to distribute fruit and other produce on an extensive scale in a large city. A knowledge of the methods along this line is absolutely necessary, and it is essential that the one in charge have a wide acquaintance and a considerable following among buyers, also that he be familiar with the handling of credits, as there is no limit to the amount of money that may be lost through poor accounts. There is no secret about co-operation, neither is there any way whereby a smart, fluent schemer or organizer can make farm co-operation successful by any other method than practical common sense business management.

SODDED TERRACE OUTLET CHANNELS PROVE VALUABLE IN EROSION CONTROL.

Inspection trips made after a recent 8.01 inch rain revealed that on farms near Waco under cooperative agreement with the Soil Conservation Service, sodded terrace outlet channels suffered no damage from excessive run-off waters, according to Frank Moore, technician in charge. "All of the 11,448 linear feet of channel protected with Bermuda sod was in excellent condition after carrying the run-off from terraces. No repair work will be necessary on any of these channels," Moore's report says.

Despite some of the channels having been solid sodded for little more than a month there was no damage from the rain water. In one case where sod had been placed in an outlet channel with a drainage area of 42 acres there was no washing or scouring whatever, although the sod had been there only three or four weeks, proving that with solid sodding almost immediate protection can be secured.

The more expensive outlet channels protected by mechanical structures, will require some maintenance work, the report stated. Damage to mechanically controlled channels was due to the water following dry weather cracks around the wing walls of structures.

Erosion on farm lands in the Waco area which were unprotected by erosion control measures was very severe following the recent heavy rains, Moore says. Gullies and deposits of topsoil in low places were evident on every hand. In comparison to this heavy damage, land on which the complete erosion control program of the Soil Conservation Service had been placed suffered practically no damage.

THE DRUMS OF WAR.

By The Tumbleweed.

Again, it is presidential year, and the good and the bad deeds of our candidates are thrashed over, pro and con, hurting no one and not being considered by thinking people as authentic information, just presidential twaddle. It will be a happy time for all when it is over and the papers are at rest but this preparing for war that is going on, that means something to think about.

"Go beat your drums and blow your fifes, we know you for what you are, and it's many a lad will fall in line to follow you afar."

"Your red mouthed cannons will but shred our laddies' tender flesh; your filthy trenches will destroy them and their bodies mesh."

"You captivate with tinsel braid woven to make a snare; the thunder of your drums beat loud to draw them unaware. Death rides amid, behind, before, above, below, beside the ones who follow. Death and you march always, side by side."

TAKE TIME.

Take time to steal a minute from the hours of work to see the misty, tender radiance Upon a blossoming tree.

Take time to stop and listen to the mocking birds' sweet tune When rendering orchestrations to The mellow, rounded moon.

Take time to taste the nectar, sweet Of little winds that blow, And watch the peaceful shadows of The sunset on the snow.

Take time to hear the sweet old songs Of woodland brooks and streams, And watch the playful capers of The flickering sunbeams.

Take time for beauty far and near, Such joys will make you free, For then God gives you courage for The tasks that are to be.

—IDA RICE HUMPHREYS.

CONVERSATION AT THE TABLE.

By Juliette Frazier

It seems that few parents regard the conversation carried on at their tables as having any connection with the training of their children. It is quite customary in the ordinary home, especially in farm homes, to discuss any subject which may be introduced regardless of the children's presence.

But the children take it all in, whether they are allowed to take part in the conversation or come to the table to be seen and not heard. It seeps into their young minds and comes out in their thoughts, words and deeds, and the neighbors, and the teachers at church and school get the full benefit of it.

There are homes where the conversation at the table is confined to the neighborhood and small town gossip. Children coming from such homes are marked by their tell-tale ways, their fault-finding, their inquisitiveness and, in many cases, deceitfulness. In other homes meal time is jangle time. Parents and children quarrel and contradict until they have formed a distasteful habit hard to break and annoying to meet.

It is the parents' duty to guard the conversation at the table with great care. I know some parents who have instituted the custom of after-dinner table talks, for such talks broaden and educate those who merely listen as well as those who take part in them. Current topics are favorites. Sometimes simple ones are chosen, so that the children may take part, while at other times the parents feel it is well for the children to listen. The children are allowed to bring in news and happenings of interest to them, but never gossip.

Good wholesome conversation helps to digest the food. And a point not to be lost sight of, it encourages good table manners. The children have a pleasant meal and carry out with them the atmosphere of a good home.

Planting seed for next year have been chosen by field selection from a certified plot of dwarf yellow milo by Willie Smith, Stonewall county farmer. Smith produced approximately 2,000 pounds per acre of the dwarf yellow milo this year by planting certified seed. Seed planted from bin or common selection produced about 1,000 pounds of heads per acre. Smith states that both the certified seed and the common seed were planted at the same time of the year and on the same type of soil.

A mass of data is being compiled by the experts who are making a nation wide survey of the wool scouring industry for the Texas Planning Board. Scores of plants have been visited, woolen manufacturers interviewed and wool brokers contacted. Upon completion of the survey the data will be put in shape for persons interested in wool scouring and the establishment of wool scouring plants in Texas.

Two wild Gypsies, like two gay leaves Decked for Autumn's festival ball, Blown about like tumbled brown leaves, Heeding but their own hearts' call.

AT SUNSET TIME.

Back to the farm they wander When Life is old and gray; Here, in carefree childhood, They had been wont to play.

Where in life's glad morning They romped in happy glee, Now the twilight shadows Are dark on wood and lea.

Where in Springtime's brightness They gathered flowers, rare Rugs in Autumn colors Are scattered everywhere.

Where in Summer sunshine They waded in the brooks, Dull gray clouds are floating In darkly shaded nooks.

Where their bright young daydreams Built castles, high and grand, Fairy dreams have vanished With life's low-running sand.

Cloudy skies are bending Above their bowed gray heads; Gray the Autumn shadows— But still the old love sheds

Brilliant rainbow brightness To Autumn's browns and grays, Like a sombre cloudmass On which the sunset plays.

Through leaden clouds now breaking Above the western hills, A radiant Autumn sunset The sky with glory fills,

Crowning locks of silver With halo bright as gold, Fairly bent forms renewing In fair, transfigured mold.

—LILLIAN M. SVENSON.

GYPSY LOVE.

O my tall dark Gypsy-Woman, Wild, and to my own faults, blind— Listen to my earnest pleading, To your Gypsy lad, be kind.

In your black hair, winds the daisy— On your bosom, bright gems shine; O my Gypsy, when I hold you My blood dances like old wine.

Gypsy-Woman, when we're dancing, Like bright Autumn leaves you whirl; And the Autumn winds caress you, O my all dark Gypsy-Girl.

Sweet as honey are the kisses From your grape-stained ruddy mouth; Let us follow now the wild things To a warm and sunny south.

O my dark-eyed, lovely Gypsy, Tall dark woman; mine alone! Earth is mine and I am happy For a piece of heaven I own.

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—GRACE PHILLIPS.

MINCE PIE—THE CROWNING GLORY.

By Betty Barclay. Mince pie used to be reserved for the crowning glory of holiday feasts and its spicy deliciousness was achieved by unsparing labor. But nowadays this zesty fruit delicacy can qualify as a economical treat to add interest and flavor to a dinner party.

Modern Mince Pie

1 package (9 oz.) dry mince meat 1 1/2 cups water 3 tablespoons sugar

Break the dry mince meat into pieces. Add cold water. Place over heat and stir until all lumps are thoroughly broken up. Add sugar.

Bring to a brisk boil; continue boiling for three minutes, or until mince meat is practically dry. Cool. Line a nine inch pie plate with pastry and fill with mince meat mixture. Place the pie on top of mince meat filling. Bake in hot oven (400 degrees F.) for thirty-five minutes.

Mince Meat Cheese Tarts

1 (9 oz.) package dry mince meat 1 1/2 cup water 6 slices American cheese Pie crust

Boil the dry mince meat in one-half cup of water until most dry. Roll out pie crust and in squares. Put a spoonful of prepared mince meat in the center of each and cover with a slice of American cheese. Fold the pie crust over the mince meat and cheese and press the edges together firmly. Bake 15 minutes in a hot oven (450 degrees F.). Serve hot. Makes 6 tarts.

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LACOSTE LEDGERETTES.

from The LaCoste Ledger.

WM. JUNGMAN INJURED.

Wm. Jungman has been in bed for
more than a week as a result of a
rather peculiar accident in which he
sustained a badly cut and lacerated
leg. He went out to the farm, south-
west of LaCoste, on Wednesday af-
ternoon of last week to superintend
the starting of a new tractor and
plow and in some manner when the
machine got underway, Jungman was
caught in the "hitch" and an ugly
cut was cut in his leg.

He was hurried to town for medi-
cal attention and with Dr. Springfield
for a few hours it was neces-
sary to call Dr. Whitehead of Cas-
trophie and he took eight stitches to
close the wound. The stitches were
cut out on Tuesday of this week and
Mr. Jungman was getting along very
well, but it may be another day or
two before he is out again.

Ernest Rih from Spindletop was
visitor here last Saturday.

Emil C. Bippert from the Sauz was
visitor here Monday.

Mrs. Adel Boehler and daughters,
Ethel and Doris, spent the week-end
in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Sauer from
Brackettville visited relatives here

Christmas Day.

Eugene Jungman, Sr., and son,

Leo, from the Potranco were LaCoste
visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Keller and sons
spent Christmas day in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Bippert and
children were visitors here Wednes-
day.

John B. Sitte from Riomedina
was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Zinsmeyer
from the Sauz were visitors here last

Saturday.

Mrs. Josephine Santleben of Uval-
de is spending the week with her par-
ents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Barley of
Pearl are the parents of a son
born December 25th.

Robert Mechler from the Sauz was
a business visitor here Saturday.

H. J. Boehler and son from Dunlap
were business visitors here Tuesday.

Mrs. Adel Koehler and Mrs. Joe
Keller were San Antonio visitors
Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Bippert and
sons spent Christmas day with Mr.

and Mrs. Alex A. Haby at Riomedina.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Jungman of

Corpus Christi were visiting with

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Jungman and

family Sunday.

O. C. Oliver and Harry Mitchell of

Mississippi spent Wednesday after-

noon with Mr. and Mrs. Edmund

Keller and daughter, Mildred, here.

Miss Annie Geiger of San Antonio
spent Sunday and Monday with her

parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Geiger

and family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Eisenlohr and

San Antonio were visitors with Mr.

and Mrs. Joe Keller here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Ahr and chil-

dren from LaCoste and Mr. and Mrs.
Theo. Trip and children from Mac-
donal spent Christmas day with Mr.
and Mrs. Ralph Tschirhart and fam-
ily here.

Miss Pauline Miksch of Fort
Worth was the guest of Mr. and
Mrs. Alex Jungman and family here
Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Bippert and
sons visited in San Antonio Tuesday.

They were accompanied by Clarence
Bippert who spent the holidays here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Greif and chil-
dren of Del Rio visited Mrs. Adel
Koehler and daughters here Sunday
evening. They were accompanied
home by Vincent Keller.

Miss Pauline Hoffman was the
guest of her brother and family at
Marion for several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Breiten and
daughters and Miss Hilda Santleben
were San Antonio visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Zinsmeyer
and son and Mr. and Mrs. Emil
Mueller and children of San Antonio
spent Christmas day with relatives
here.

Miss Jo Santleben and brothers,
Wm. Jr. and Arvin and R. W. Bippert
spent Tuesday and Wednesday
with Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Muennink
near Yancey.

Mrs. Otto P. Jungman and daugh-
ters, Hazel and Lillian Jungman visit-
ed Mrs. Lydia C. McGarr at Santa
Rosa Hospital. Mrs. McGarr as Santa
ly recovering from a broken arm sus-
tained several weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Breiten and
daughters, Arline and Esther, of
Roseville, California, Mr. and Mrs.
A. S. Muennink and son, Derril Ellis,
of Hondo and Miss Josephine Santle-
ben were visiting at the Wm. Santle-
ben home during the Christmas hol-
idays.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Biediger and
sons were the guests of Mr. and Mrs.
Emil Nehr and family at D'Hanis
Sunday. They were accompanied
home by Mrs. Josephine Biediger,
who had spent the week-end at the
Nehr home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Waltisperger
of San Antonio, Mrs. Mary A. Burell,
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ahr, Mr. and
Mrs. Lawrence Ahr and daughter of
San Antonio were Sunday guests at
the R. D. Bippert home.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Tondre
and children of LaPryor visited here
for several days over Christmas.
They were accompanied home by
Mrs. Theresa Zinsmeyer, who will
visit them for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Keller and
daughter, Mildred, had as their
guests on Christmas Day, Mrs. Emma
Jungman and son, George, Mrs.
Catherine Keller, Mr. and Mrs. C. S.
Wages of LaCoste, Mr. and Mrs.
Jake Setzer and Jack Rushing of
San Antonio.

Miss Louise Miksch of San Antonio
and Frank Miksch of Asherton were
visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Alex
Jungman and family during the
holidays. Misses Louise Miksch and
Lillian Jungman accompanied Mr.
Miksch back to Asherton where they
will remain for a few days' visit and
will also make a trip over into Mexi-
co.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Elmendorf and
babies of San Antonio, Mrs. Helena
Keller and daughter, Miss Octavia,
Mrs. Josephine Biediger, from here
Fred Koehler of Macdonal, and Mr.
and Mrs. Ulrich B. Kempf and family
from Castroville were the guests
of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Biediger and
sons Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Mangold and
sons, Clyde, Clayton and Larry from
Cliff and Miss Marjorie Salzman of
San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. M. A.
Mechler and family of the Sauz were
the holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs.
Otto Jungman and daughter, Miss
Hazel.

Oscar Bippert and little son from
the Castroville-San Antonio road was
a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Abert Noble, Mrs.
Frank Mechler and baby, Mrs. Rich-
ard Meurer and daughters from
Fredericksburg spent the week-end
with Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Christilles
and family here.

Misses Theresa and Marjorie
Mechler and Christina Meurer and
Walter Ruff of Fredericksburg visited
Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Christilles and
family here Christmas day.

From Castroville Dept.
Miss Theresa Rih spent Christ-
mas Eve in San Antonio.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph
Tschirhart, a son, December 27th.

Miss Anna Mae Tschirhart from
Uvalde is visiting homefolks here for
a few days.

Howard Zimmerman from Houston
is visiting friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Keiler and
family from LaCoste were visiting
here Friday evening.

Milton Bippert from San Antonio
is visiting homefolks here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Laurence and
children are visiting homefolks at
Thorndale this week.

Pete Tschirhart from San Antonio
was a visitor here Christmas day.

Com. H. J. Bippert and E. C. Nel-
son were Hondo visitors last Satur-
day.

Miss Louise Latham from Midland,
Texas, was a welcome visitor here
during the holidays.

Mrs. H. J. Bippert spent the after-
noon of Tuesday with Mrs. L. Wurz-
bach at Riomedina.

Mr. and Mrs. Linus Tschirhart and
sons from Hondo were visiting here
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Tschirhart and children were visiting
Ferd. Tschirhart, who is a pa-
tient at the Santa Rosa Hospital, in
San Antonio, last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Tondre and
children and Mrs. Theresa Zinsmeyer
stopped over here for a short visit
enroute to their home at La Pryor
after having spent Christmas with
homefolks at LaCoste.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Nelson and
daughters from Austin were visiting
here during the Christmas holidays.
Mrs. Cornelius Schott and son ac-
companied them home Sunday to
spend the week with them.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Tschirhart and
family had as their guests on Christ-
mas day, Mr. and Mrs. August Zins-
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Mr. John L. Russell of Victoria spent the week-end here and was accompanied home Sunday by Mrs. Russell and children, Sonny and Barbara, who had spent the holidays with Mrs. Russell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Nester.

Mrs. Ida B. Ferguson and daughter, Miss Lucille Ferguson, Mrs. Fly and daughter, and Miss King of San Antonio visited Miss Anne Davis and other friends here Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Ferguson and daughter formerly resided in Hondo.

Mr. Otis Schuehle returned to Corpus Christi Saturday after spending New Year's with his parents, Sheriff and Mrs. C. J. Schuehle. Mrs. Otis Schuehle remained over until Wednesday morning for a longer visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crouch.

Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Saathoff, 1842 W. Craig, San Antonio, had as their guests for New Year's dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Milton Heyen, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Boehle and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gerfers of Hondo, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Brucks of Converse, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Saathoff, Miss Polly Saathoff, and Miss Peggy Schwarting of San Antonio.

The regular session for January of the Hondo High School Parent-Teacher Association will convene next Monday afternoon, January 11, in the school auditorium. In addition to the routine of business, we understand, an interesting program by the local Chapter of the Future Farmers of America is scheduled. Everyone is cordially invited and members are especially urged to attend.

The first trades day event of the new year for Hondo will be held on Public Square in front of the Colonial Theatre next Wednesday afternoon, January 13, 1937, at 3 P. M. The local merchants enjoyed a big holiday trade and as a result there should be a large turn out for the Trades Day. When in Hondo make the local business houses your trade headquarters and don't fail to ask for trades day tickets. Don't fail to note the new gathering place—Public Square instead of College Square.

Dilman, Upshur County Native, Dies at Italy



W. T. FORD.

Above likeness of a highly respected former citizen of Hondo, whose recent death was reported in this paper, was furnished us through courtesy of the Dallas News.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH.

The service next Sunday, Jan. 10, German at 10:30 A. M. The Sunday school and Bible class will meet at 9:00 A. M. Our Bible class is growing; come and help this worthwhile endeavor.

We are living in an important time and much depends upon how we are using this time. Parents, it is up to you to do all you can for the spiritual care of your children. You will be held responsible. Adults, you will need a correct viewpoint on current matters in world affairs. The Bible class is the opportunity for you.

The service on Sunday, Jan. 17, English at 10:30 A. M. Service at Sprottville at 2:30 P. M.

The Luther League will meet at the church on Thursday, Jan. 14, at 7:30 P. M. Junior Leaguers will join the Seniors at this hour.

Choir rehearsal every Wednesday night at 7:30 P. M.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

Notice is hereby given that I will be at the following named places on dates named below for the purpose of collecting 1936 taxes, and assessing for the year 1937.

Castroville, Jan. 11, 12 and 13, to 3 P. M.

LaCoste, Jan. 14 and 15, to 3 P. M.

Birr, Jan. 18, 9 A. M. to 11 A. M. Coal Mine, Jan. 18, 1 P. M. to 3 P. M.

Natalia, Jan. 19, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Devine, Jan. 20, 21 and 22, to 3 P. M.

Respectfully,
L. E. HEATH,
Tax Assessor and Collector.

AUCTION SALE.

I will offer for sale at public auction at my residence at New Fountain, Jan. 12, 1937, at 1 P. M., blacksmith and carpenter tools, etc. MRS. LENA HORN.

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Messrs. Charlie Umlang and Cal Smith were down from Utopia last Saturday, and while here Mr. Umlang paid our office a business call.

Julius F. Wurzbach, here from Cliff serving as a grand juror in district court this week, paid us a business call Thursday and ordered the Anvil Herald sent to his home for 1937.

IS YOUR INSURANCE MAN, ONE WHO LIVES AMONG YOU; OR ONE JUST PASSING THRU? For Every Form of Insurance See O. H. MILLER, Hondo, Texas.

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The M. E. was glad to greet his old friend, J. Henry Riff, yesterday, he having come to town with his family and a party of friends on business. Mr. Riff is gradually recovering from a protracted illness but is glad to be able again to ride a plow and is preparing for his next crop.

Will Collins, former newspaper man of Llano but now a field agent for the Freeport Sulphur Company, was a business visitor to Hondo Monday and paid our office a fraternal call. Mr. Collins' company is promoting the use of sulphur as a pest exterminator for both plant and animal life.

Miss Evelyn Knopp had as her guests over last week-end Misses Cecille Brown and Joyce Caraway of Nixon. Following the New Year's Eve dance Miss Knopp entertained with a breakfast in her home in honor of her house guests, the personnel including the college and high school set. Receiving with Miss Knopp, Miss Brown and Miss Caraway was Mrs. T. B. Knopp. Serving a fruit cup in the living room was Miss Annette Rothe, while assisting in serving in the dining room were Misses Frances Haegelin and Doris Windrow. In addition to the younger group, the guests included Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rothe and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Starnes.

The annual New Year's Eve watch party and bridge of the Wednesday Night Bridge Club was held last Thursday night, Dec. 31st, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. O. B. Taylor. The rooms were adorned with seasonal decorations and an illuminated silver Christmas tree. Trophies in bridge were awarded Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kollman for high scores, Mrs. H. J. Meyer and Dr. O. B. Taylor for second high, and Mrs. O. B. Taylor for consolation. A delicious supper of creamed chicken in patty shells, green peas, candied stuffed apple, hot rolls, frozen eggnog, angel food cake, and coffee, was served to the following: Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Starnes, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kollman, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Brucks, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Heath, and Dr. and Mrs. O. B. Taylor.

To my non-Catholic friends I want to say that their sincere friendship and kindly feeling towards me will be treasured by me and sustain me throughout the years.

May God's blessing descend upon you and may your days be prosperous and happy.

REV. T. A. FLYNN LEAVES.

Father T. A. Flynn, pastor of St. John the Evangelist and Our Lady of Sorrows parishes in Hondo for the past eleven years, Sunday morning addressed his congregations for the last time as their shepherd and gave them his blessing preparatory to leaving for his new pastorate in San Antonio.

Several weeks earlier Father Flynn had been offered a promotion as pastor of St. Patrick's Church in San Antonio, but he delayed his decision because of his many strong ties here. However, possible release from the continued ill-health which he suffered while here and the persistent solicitation of old friends of St. Patrick's parish, where he served prior to coming to Hondo, tempered his decision to accept. It was with regret that Father Flynn left Hondo and with deep sorrow that his people let him go. He went to San Antonio Thursday to assume his duties. Rev. P. Potgens, who has been temporarily serving at Schulenburg, will take charge of the local parishes.

During the eleven years of residence here, Father Flynn has endeared himself to many friends, Catholics and non-Catholics alike, and the ties will not be easily severed. The improved condition, both spiritually and physically, of the two parishes under his guidance will be reminders of his untiring efforts in behalf of his charges. Among his many achievements, many of which were never made known, the realization of a cherished dream for a new and modern parochial school building is one which will be among the most lasting. Others are the renovation and enlarging of the Mexican church and the establishment of a parochial school for the Mexicans; the purchase of valuable church property, and the improvement in appearances of the rectory, churches and grounds. Father Flynn's duties were doubled because of his Mexican charges but he did not fail in his efforts for their well-being.

His efforts for the spiritual welfare of his parishes were untiring and the results are far-reaching and can never be measured in so many words. The deep sorrow felt by the members of both parishes alone can give a small insight into the fine character and ability of this "good and faithful servant".

It is with a feeling of deepest regret that I bid good-by to Hondo, where I have spent eleven very pleasant years.

Although it is a call to go up higher, it is hard to break with the associations and the friends cultivated during those years, and my heart and thoughts will remain here many a long day. I want to publicly thank the members of St. John's and Our Lady of Sorrows parishes for their loyalty and cooperation during my stay among them.

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Good-by,
T. A. FLYNN.

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The old N. W. Ward ranch, 1480 acres, four miles east of Yancey, plenty of water, grass, farm land, large house. Apply to J. W. FULLERTON, 1425 Guadalupe St., San Antonio, Texas.

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Friends of Mr. Adolph Haass will be glad to learn that he is somewhat improved after a very bad spell of illness.

Mrs. O. H. Miller and daughter, Miss Charlotte Miller, spent several days this week with relatives in San Antonio.

Mrs. M. A. Stevens and her daughter, Mrs. John Hankinson, of the Gilligan ranch, returned Thursday of last week from a holiday visit with relatives at Brownsville.

Consult the advertisements in this paper, then remember that no town is ever built up by trade that goes elsewhere, and patronize those who show their loyalty to their town by being loyal to its enterprises.

Mrs. Theresa Bendele and daughter, Mrs. Robert Weynand, were out from San Antonio Wednesday on business. They were accompanied by Mrs. Geo. Bailey who spent the day with her sister, Mrs. Isaac Wilson.

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Mr. Frank Powell of Huntsville, Alabama, and his sister, Mrs. Gerber, of Memphis, Tennessee, stopped over here Tuesday on their return from a three weeks' tour of California, for a visit with their aunt, Mrs. W. R. Routt, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Rogers had as their guests Christmas Major J. C. Rogers, wife and son, Joe, Jr., of Ft. Ringgold, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Fulton of Garden City, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Rogers and son, John, of Alice, Texas.

Rev. Mother Francis of the motherhouse of the Order of the Sisters of the Holy Ghost is spending the week with the Sisters at St. John's Parochial School, where she is examining the work being done by the school children.

Owing to the inclement weather and a funeral in town at the same hour, attendance at the Ford Motor Co. show New Year's Day at the Colonial was disappointing but those fortunate enough to see it were entertained and instructed in a pleasing manner.

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WILSON-WILSON.

George Isaac Wilson of Corpus Christi, one of Hondo's native sons, as his lovely bride Miss

Wilson of Corpus Christi, in

simple double ring ceremony at 9

o'clock Sunday morning, January 3,

37, at the home of the bride's par-

ents, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, in Corpus

Christi. Rev. Ratliff of the Baptist

church officiated. The home was

nicely arranged with fern and pot

plants and lighted by white cathedral

lamps.

Mr. Wilson was attended by Miss

Richardson of Corpus Christi

and the groom by Mr. August Finger

Hondo and San Antonio. The bride

wore a becoming costume suit of

light wool crepe, the three-quarter

length coat made on princess lines.

As this she wore a black straw hat

with a smart veil and a clus-

ter of white blossoms, and black ac-

cessories. Her corsage was of white

lace. Miss Richardson

wore a brown wool suit and a cor-

set of Talisman roses.

Following the ceremony an in-

formal reception was held. Miss

Wilson, sister of the groom,

served the bride's cake and Miss

Richardson poured coffee. The

young couple then left on a short

moonlight trip to Monterrey, Mex-

ico, after which they will spend sev-

eral days with relatives in Hondo.

Mr. Wilson is a resident of Cor-

pus Christi where she was employed

in a doctor's office in the Medical

Professional building. Mr. Wilson is

the youngest son of Mrs. Isaac Wil-

son and the late Mr. Wilson of Hondo.

He graduated from Hondo High

school in 1931 and then attended

Texas A. and M. College and

University of Texas. For the

few years he has been employed

in the Central Power and Light

Company in Corpus Christi, where

the young couple will make their

home.

Those from here attending the

wedding were the groom's sisters,

Thelma Wilson and Mrs. R. C.

and little daughter, Janie, and

August Finger.

This paper joins the many Medina

County friends of George Isaac in

extending their best wishes to him and his bride.

WIDE-MOUTH COMEDIAN IN

NEW FILM.

Joe E. Brown, the large-mouthed

comedian, will be seen Wednesday

and Thursday at the Colonial Theatre

in "Polo Joe", the breezy tale of a

man who overcomes a distinct

affection for horses because the girl

he loves is a polo fan. He is support-

ed by Carol Hughes as a Southern

girl, and Skeets Gallagher as Joe's

best friend.

He talked a great game of

saddle!

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BOTTLE BEER AT THE PLAZA

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THE WAY OF SALVATION.

By Rev. J. T. Horger.
ARTICLE NO. 12.

Our last was a discussion of the conversion of the disciples of Jesus, commencing with their baptism by John, and extending through Pentecost. There appears to be a mistaken idea, namely: that the descent of the Holy Ghost upon the disciples was the first of that measure and kind that had ever occurred, and that ever after the Holy Ghost resided in the Church; and, therefore, whoever was justified and born of the Spirit thereafter, also received the gift of the Holy Ghost at the same time and by the same act.

Now in the above, as we see it, there are three mistakes. First, the Holy Ghost, through all ages, was given to certain of the Old Testament church. He was within and upon Moses, Samuel, Elijah, and all the prophets. Also before the coming of Christ there were Zacharias and Elisabeth, the parents of John the Baptist, who were both filled with the Holy Ghost. And John was filled with the Holy Ghost before he was born. But the distinction between the OLD TESTAMENT Dispensation and that of the NEW was that in the Old Testament God led only certain chosen characters into the gift of the Holy Ghost, preparatory for special service. But in the New Testament Dispensation, EVERY Spirit-born believer is called to go on to perfection that they may receive the gift of the Holy Ghost. See Acts 2:39.

Second, touching the idea that the Holy Spirit ever remained within and upon the Church after the day of Pentecost absolutely depended upon whether they continued to walk in consecrated covenant through which they received Him. It is possible that any one, or any number of the Church may forfeit their right to the indwelling of the Holy Ghost and cause Him to depart. So, if we would have the Holy Spirit to abide within, we must walk by the same principles by which we received Him.

Then again, although the disciples were all filled with the Holy Ghost and lived true till death, it does not prove that the following converts will go on through regeneration and thence into sanctification by the incoming and abiding Holy Ghost; and if they thus fail, it cannot be truly said that the Holy Ghost abides in them, as a church. But they may still function as a church and do some good in the world. I think that the greater part of our churches are, in the main, in that fix.

That is, there are a large number of them, like John the Baptist's disciples before they found their Savior; they have in some degree repented, but at that point, unfortunately, they have been led into the church. But others have been born of the Spirit, received into the church, but thereafter have not been properly taught touching their inheritance, namely, the gift of the Holy Ghost, which purifies the heart and fills the soul with pure, fervent, holy love. Who would not like to receive this inheritance in Christ?

Third, the idea that after the day of Pentecost, whoever was born of the Spirit also at the same time received the gift of the Holy Ghost, is absolutely unscriptural, which fact we are setting forth from the Word of God in these articles from time to time. But that God intends that every child of His should receive the gift of the Holy Ghost, we quote Act 2:39. "For the promise is unto you, and your children, and to all that are afar off, even as many as the Lord our God shall call." Note the words, "The promise". It is called in Scripture "The promise of the Father", because God had made it by the Prophet Isa., 44:3; and Joel, 2:28; and John the Baptist, Math. 3:11, and by Jesus, Luke 24:49; and Acts 1:4; and in fact, the gift of the Holy Ghost is one of the most frequent and glorious promises referred to from Gen. to Rev. We mention the many repetitions of the "Promise of the Father" that the EMINENCE of the gift of the Holy Ghost may fasten itself upon mind and heart of the reader. Next note that the promise was made to you—the children of God that had gathered to see what had happened on the day of Pentecost—and to your children, and to all that are afar off, even as many as the Lord our God shall call." Note the above expression, "as many as the Lord our God shall call." It really means as many as God shall successfully call through repentance and faith to justification and regeneration, which constitute the new birth; and thus makes them the legitimate heirs to the gift of the Holy Ghost. Referring to the fact that the Holy Ghost is termed our inheritance, we quote Rom. 8:16-17, "The Spirit itself beareth witness with our spirit, that we are the children of God; and if children, then heirs; heirs of God, and joint heirs with Christ: if so be that we suffer with him, that we may be also glorified together."

Note the above says that we are JOINT HEIRS WITH CHRIST, PROVIDING THAT WE SUFFER WITH HIM. What does this mean? First, it means the self-denials and cross-bearing that Jesus said everyone must suffer that would be His disciple. Secondly, it means the fun-making, ridicule and persecution that the Scriptures tell us that come to everyone that shall live Godly in this world.

Thirdly, it means that crucifixion of the inordinate afflictions for worldly honor, fame, and praise. For earthly treasures, pleasure and fools fun; the crucifixion of inordinate love for our nearest and dearest loved ones of earth and to die to the vain pride, pomp and glory of the flesh and this vain world. We must suffer and die to all these things if we would be "Joint heirs with Christ".

This thing of being a real Christian is the biggest thing on earth. It cost the most, it is worth more than any thing else in this life, to say nothing of the eternal bliss in the world to come. If we turn from salvation and our Savior to seek this world's possessions and its pleasures, it is very uncertain whether we get much of this world's goods, though we work

NEW TEAM.

Monday and Tuesday at the Colonial Theatre.



Barbara Stanwyck
and Robert Taylor
in "His Brother's Wife"

HERMAN GEYER RITES HELD.

Funeral services for Herman Rudolph Geyer, 73, one of San Antonio's pioneer residents, were held Wednesday afternoon, January 6, 1937. Geyer died at his home, 212 Barrera Street, San Antonio, at noon Tuesday.

Born in San Antonio, Geyer had lived here all of his life except a short time during his boyhood when he lived in Castroville. In the early days he was driver of the mule cars, which were later replaced by electric trolleys. He then ran a blacksmith shop at the corner of North Alamo and Travis Streets, until he retired in 1919.

Survivors are the widow, Mrs. Friederike Zaker Geyer; four sons, Adolph Geyer of Dallas, and Fred W., Walter L., and Erwin L. Geyer of San Antonio; a daughter, Mrs. Samuel E. Mason of San Diego, Calif.; three brothers, William Geyer of Yorktown; Edmund Geyer of Pearland, and Otto Geyer of San Antonio; three sisters, Mrs. Lena Weller of San Antonio, Mrs. Tillie Heiser of Von Ormy, and Mrs. Hattie Marquis of Cuero, and nine grandchildren.

NATIVE OF CASTROVILLE KILLED.

Funeral services for G. A. Rothman, 59, 1025 West Salinas Street, Missouri Pacific engineer, who was killed early Tuesday morning in the wreck of passenger train No. 6 at the north end of the Colorado River bridge near Austin, were held Thursday afternoon, Rev. James F. Voropker officiating. He was a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, and the Sons of Hermann.

Rothman had been an employee of the Missouri Pacific for 35 years, having just recently been promoted to a passenger run. He would have been retired from service within the next five years. He was born in Castroville, but had lived in San Antonio almost all his life.

Survivors are his widow; one daughter, Miss Bertha Rothman; one stepson, C. F. Kaiser, and two brothers, John and Emil Rothman, all of this city.—San Antonio Express.

MRS. BOHMFALK DEAD.

Mrs. Augusta Bohmfalk, 75 years, died Tuesday, January 5, 1937, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Annie Neumann, 605 Division Street, San Antonio. The remains were shipped by the Riebe Undertaking Company of San Antonio to Hondo, and funeral services were held yesterday afternoon, Thursday, January 7, at 2 P. M. at the Horger Funeral Home, Rev. W. L. Froehner of Mason, Texas, Methodist Church, officiating. Interment was made in the New Fountain Cemetery.

Deceased had spent all his long life in Southwest Texas. He lived for many years in the Devine section of Medina County. Later he ranched in the Tarpley section of Bandera County, but age and failing health caused him to retire and move to Hondo some fifteen or twenty years ago where he has since resided. He was a man of a quiet, retiring disposition and few of his Hondo neighbors knew him intimately. He was of the Primitive Baptist faith and was almost alone in his church relationship as there has never been a church of that denomination in Hondo.

Mr. Simpson is survived by his aged widow, Mrs. Alice Simpson,

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News Review of Current Events the World Over

Bru Plans Settlement of Cuban Debts to Americans—
Roosevelt Says Federal Government Should End Child Labor and Starvation Wages.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

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FEDERICO LAREDO BRU, the new president of Cuba, proposes to settle all Cuban obligations in the United States and is expected soon to invite the bankers and bondholders concerned to enter negotiations to that end. Credit for inducing Bru to do this is given to Col. Fulgencio Batista, who appears to be largely in control of affairs in the island.

The obligations include about \$75,000,000 owed to many Americans who invested in public work gold bonds which were issued during the administration of President Gerardo Machado.

The new constitution which the Cuban congress recently voted originally prohibited any such negotiations as those contemplated before 1940, but when it appeared in the official gazette that article had been radically altered. It now orders the government to find a satisfactory way to settle all debts to the United States before 1940 and authorizes the president to open negotiations immediately.

This "error" in the gazette's composing room is supposed to have been ordered by Colonel Batista, and though congress has the power to correct it, a majority of congressmen, after reading the article in the gazette, gave it their approval. So President Bru, it seems, is free to go ahead with the negotiations.

ElimINATION of child labor, long-working hours and starvation wages is a necessity, and must be carried out by the federal government since it cannot be done by state action. So declared President Roosevelt in his press conference.

He warned the correspondents not to say he was planning to revive the NRA and insisted all he could say at present was that something should be done to fix maximum hours and minimum wages.

Since the day of the NRA, said Mr. Roosevelt, there has been a steady decline in child labor, grueling hours and starvation wages by 90 per cent of American business. As for the other 10 per cent, he said, they were still failing to live up to the best standards since the death of the NRA.

It was believed Hitler would avoid war measures in this crisis, and both Great Britain and France were hopeful that he would preserve peace because they have offered to help his economic and colonial needs in return for nonintervention in the Spanish conflict. However, informed German sources said the Anglo-French note sent Christmas, urging a cessation of German volunteer enlistments for Spain had come too late, and that Germany will permit and even encourage a continuation of such enlistments.

TOM BERRY, before retiring from the governorship of South Dakota, appointed Herbert Hitchcock of Mitchell, S. D., to fill out the term of the late Senator Peter Norbeck. The new senator is Democratic state chairman and his appointment brings the Democratic membership in the senate to 76, the highest party total in history. The Republicans now number 16.

Mr. Hitchcock was born in Maquoketa, Ia., in 1887 and was educated at Anamosa, Davenport and Chicago. He went to Mitchell in 1894 and was admitted to the bar two years later. He was president of the school board in his home town for ten years and state's attorney four years. He served as state senator in 1909, 1911, and 1929.

AS NEBRASKA'S unicameral legislature, unique in the United States, was about to begin its first session, Gov. R. L. Cochran declared politics was out. He discouraged party caucuses among the members and said he would have no spokesman in the legislature.

The governor pointed out that the constitution provides that the one-house chamber shall be non-partisan and that the voters had done their part by electing, on a nonpolitical ticket, 22 Democrats and 21 Republicans. He said he would continue personally and as governor, all measures for new forms of taxation.

FINANCIAL status of American farmers may be much improved, as reports of governmental agencies say, but some of them still appear to need a lot of help. Senator F. Ryan Duffy of Wisconsin asked federal officials to allot \$10,000,000 to aid the Wisconsin farmers who are suffering from the effects of the drought.

"This would be \$200 per farm," he said, "and considering the high price of hay and other items of feed, it would be difficult to make a smaller sum cover the needs which

would develop during the winter season."

Duffy estimated 40,000 to 50,000 Wisconsin farmers would need assistance in purchasing live stock this winter. He said at least 35,000 farmers in the drouth area and from 10,000 to 15,000 outside the drouth districts were in need of aid. In addition, he said, between 30,000 and 40,000 farmers would need government aid in purchasing seed for the 1937 crop.

GOVERNMENT officials, from the President down, were anxious to prevent the export of American airplanes to Spain, license for which was given before by the State department to Robert Cuse, a Jersey City airplane broker. Cuse proposes to send \$2,777,000 worth of planes to the Spanish loyalists, and his action was criticized in Washington as "legal but unpatriotic." Senator Key Pittman of Nevada, chairman of the foreign relations committee, assailed the Cuse deal as improper and dangerous and said it might embarrass not only the United States but also other nations in their efforts to enforce the hands off policy toward the Spanish war. Congress may be able to rush through prohibitive legislation before the planes are shipped. Meantime pressure was being brought to bear on Cuse to cancel the deal.

WHEN the German steamer Pales was captured by Spanish loyalists at Bilbao because it carried war munitions supposedly destined for the Franco forces, the Berlin government demanded its release under threat of reprisal. The Basque authorities, when the German cruiser, Koenigsberg, arrived at Bilbao, let the Pales go, but held on to the cargo and to one Spanish citizen who was a passenger. This did not satisfy the commander of the cruiser who insisted the cargo and the Spaniard must be released. The authorities defiantly refused this, and several more German warships were ordered to the Bilbao sector.

There was a report in Berlin that Hitler had been advised by Mussolini to withdraw as gracefully as possible from the Spanish embroilment, and that Il Duce himself had decided to cease supporting France and the insurgents.

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CHIANG KAI-SHEK, generalissimo of China and its dictator, is back in Nanking. Marshal Chang, who held him prisoner in Sianfu for

two weeks, also is in the Nationalist capital, avowedly repentant and ready to submit to any punishment. The danger of civil war has passed for the time. The terms on which Chang released Chiang have not been made public. The dictator issued a statement, directed to his kidnaper, commanding his change of heart and promising to use his influence to obtain leniency for him; and Chang also gave out a statement admitting his grievous fault.

These developments would seem to have quieted down the Oriental situation, but there is another matter that threatens continued trouble. This is the prospect that Chiang may decide to confine his attention largely to military affairs and to make Dr. T. V. Soong, his brother-in-law, premier. Soong, who used to be minister of finance, stands high among those who favor a strong foreign policy, including resistance to further encroachments by Japan. Therefore it is easy to see that his elevation to the premiership would greatly annoy Tokyo and might easily bring about an open break between the two nations.

Since Marshal Chang is one of those demanding war with Japan, it is rumored that the appointment of Soong was the specified reward for his release of Chiang and submission to discipline.

FRANCE took a census in 1936, and the figures, just given out, show the population of the republic on August 3 was 41,905,988. This was an increase of 71,045 over the last previous census, taken in 1931. Of the total, 2,453,507 are foreigners, their number having decreased by 437,416.

COW MAKES CHEAPER MILK WHEN FED MUCH ROUGHAGE.

"Good pasture and other roughages," observes O. E. Reed, Chief of the Bureau of Dairy Industry, "are the basis for a low feed cost in producing milk and butterfat."

There are two reasons why pasture and other home-grown roughages help cut the cost of producing milk. They are usually the cheapest crops in which the farmer can grow feed nutrients, and the cow can eat enough good roughage to obtain more than half the nutrients she needs for her highest milk yield.

In a series of long-time feeding experiments Bureau dairymen are feeding cows on different kinds of roughage exclusively, and also on the roughages with grain in addition. The Bureau now has 130 records, one half showing the production when the cows were fed on roughage alone, and the other half when the same cows were fed a full ration of grain in addition to roughage. The group on the roughage ration produced an annual average of 11,417 pounds of milk, and 407 pounds of butterfat per cow, compared to 18,679 pounds of milk and 655 pounds of butterfat per cow when fed the full ration of grain and roughage.

These cows produced 61 and 62 per cent as much milk and butterfat, respectively, on roughage alone as they produced when fed grain in addition to roughage, which serves to show the important part the cheaper nutrients play in the production of milk or butterfat.

In citing these figures, the dairy chief points out that the cows in these feeding tests received only the best quality roughage, a point which some dairymen fail to value properly. To make the most of roughage, it must be of good quality and the cows must be accustomed to eating large quantities.

SIMPLE THINGS ARE BEST.

To me it has always been a subject for gladness that I was not compelled to have a scientific knowledge of the stars to look at them and enjoy their glory. Music charms us even though we do not know about point and counterpoint. While our delight in these esthetic emotions may be increased by ever widening knowledge, nevertheless God's marvels and beauties in life and nature, like the earth, belong to the humble in heart.

You do not need a book on botany to look into the wonder of a rose's heart or to enjoy the fragrance of mimosa on the evening air.

Religion has often been shorn of its greatest power by making it an opinion of a learned head instead of the conviction of a pure soul walking with God.

There was a prophet anciently in Judaism who found his times all muddied up in a hopeless tangle of rites, forms, and ceremonies. He broke loose and kicked great hole in the ecclesiastical wall by saying, "What doth the Lord require of thee but to do justly, to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God?" God comes to our rescue in this overwise age, and tells us that the true way of life is so plain that the wayfaring man, though untaught, need not err.

We must have the fullest possible knowledge upon every possible subject, for always people perish for lack of knowledge. And yet the thing I want to say is this: life, love, religion, and experience may be most beautiful and satisfying to all whose souls are attuned to God and beauty. —Rev. J. W. Holland in The Progressive Farmer.

LESPEDEZA KEEPS SOILS OF SOUTHEAST AT HOME.

In the Southeastern States lespedeza has proved a good soil holder. It also fits into a rotation cycle with small grains and produces good hay and seed.

At Woodruff, S. C., the Soil Conservation Service—in cooperation with the State experiment station—has experimental plots with about a 7-percent slope on a sandy clay soil. From a 3.85-inch rain the percentage of run-off was 15 for a second year lespeudeza plot, 48 for a corn plot, 62 for a cotton plot and 88 percent for bare soil. The loss of soil per acre was 800 pounds for lespeudeza, 17,400 for corn, 31,400 for cotton, and 39,000 for the bare plot.

In this same locality the average run-off of rain from lespeudeza was a little less than 11 per cent but nearly 18 per cent from cotton. The soil loss from lespeudeza was 1.18 tons an acre, but 15 times greater, or nearly 18 tons from cotton fields.

Last year the average yield of seed cotton following lespeudeza was 930 pounds an acre, but only 583 pounds following cotton. "As a result of these demonstrations," says H. H. Bennett, Chief of the Soil Conservation Service, "many farmers in this area now grow lespeudeza and harvest their own seed."

GIRL FROM THE MOUNTAINS.

I
Gloss of the leaf, tint of the blossom,
Tang of the air
That freshened the fields and the furrows
While we were there;

2
Fire of the sunset, rose of the dawn,
Seasons and change,
Wonder and sadness at hours past

Days new and strange—
3
Something of these, vivid and deep,
Stays in her smile,
A brightness that few in the city can keep

After a while,

4
And always I feel in her face and her bearing,
More than I know,

Charm that a leaf, charm that a blossom
Never could show.

—ROBERT LEEPER in October KALEIDOGRAPH.

A chef is a cook who can make a two-bit dish worth \$4.50 by making a few hand-carved radishes.—Detroit Free Press.

PROPER CARE ASSURES HOG PROFITS.

By Juliette Frazier.

Hogs need mineral feed, the same as any other class of stock, and the best plan is to keep a supply where they can help themselves. A discarded grain drill box with the feed cups removed will be found very satisfactory for this purpose. This box should be fastened to another shallow box about 15 inches wide and as long as the drill box. Therein should be kept a good supply of salt, charcoal and ashes. This will be of material aid in maintaining good health, and with good health pigs may readily be kept thrifty.

In feeding hogs, either during growth or when fattening, a good feeding floor is necessary. The increased quantity of grain required when fed in mud or dirt to make a pound of gain will soon pay for a tight feeding floor. Saying nothing of the better health maintained by having the food supplied in a clean manner.

The difference in the health of hogs when on and off pasture is worthy of notice. Hogs on good succulent pastures are always much healthier than when penned too closely. Cholera will be a thing of the past when all swine breeders have good sized alfalfa pastures or pastures containing other forages to the pigs' liking. Taking this into consideration, green food is profitable in two ways, as a medicine and general health producer, and a balancer for the corn ration.

The pig in a pen in the summer is about as much out of place as fish on dry land. Hogs are born grazers and should be allowed to range on green pastures. Sometimes they "thump" as if their hearts would break when kept indoors. And sometimes they lose the power of their hind legs and drag out a miserable existence because exercise is restricted and green food withheld. "Pigs in clover" are in their proper place.

FERTILIZER MAKES LEGUMES BETTER NITROGEN FACTORIES.

Legumes are natural nitrogen factories—but their production may be increased with use of phosphorus and potash.

Many farmers grow legumes as green manure crops because they collect nitrogen from the air and put it into the soil. Applications of phosphorus and potash to legumes stimulate their growth enabling them to produce more nitrogen than if they did not receive these fertilizer materials.

These are not wasted as they are available for the next crop as corn or cotton when the legumes are plowed under and decay.

By this method the farmer gains the use of three fertilizer materials for other crops although he applies only two.

Phosphorus and potash applied to legumes when grown as a green manure crop help to produce heavier yields of corn and other crops than if the same fertilizer is applied directly to the crops, tests of the United States Department of Agriculture show. In the South, fertilizer mixtures of 0-10-4 and 0-8-4 applied at the rate of 400 pounds an acre are generally satisfactory for increasing the growth of the Austrian winter pea and other legumes grown as a green manure crop preceding corn and cotton.

Fertilized land produced eleven and one-half more bushels of peanuts and one-third more peanut hay than unfertilized land on the farm of W. R. DuBose of Frio county. DuBose fertilized 26 acres of land and left eight acres unfertilized. The land was the same type, the peanuts were planted at the same time, and both plots were cultivated in the same manner. DuBose reported that the fertilized land matured the nuts much more uniformly. The cost of the fertilizer was \$1.50 per acre, while the additional income was \$13.50 per acre.

"Curing or brining cucumbers properly is the first essential in having good pickles," says Lucile Ramsey, 4-H club garden demonstrator in Tom Green county. Lucile has eight gallons in brine at present and is planning to brine the entire yield of her 40-foot row of cucumbers, according to Miss Dyora Crowder, home demonstration agent. The cucumbers will be left in brine for at least eight weeks, then they will be removed, salt soaked out, and they will be made into various kinds of pickles.

The problem of a surplus of small peaches was solved by Mrs. Alfred Russell, home demonstration club member of Falls county, who dried nine gallons for future use, according to Mrs. Inn Mae Thannisch, home demonstration agent. After her home orchard had supplied her family and four others with all the fruit needed, Mrs. Russell took the smaller fruit, split the peaches in half and placed them face upward to dry. The Russell orchard was grown from seedlings and then budded to good stock.

Twenty-three acres of land which was terraced in 1935 and seeded to wheat produced almost twice as much as 22 acres of unterraced land seeded to wheat on the farm of C. C. Henderson of Jack county. The 22 acres of unterraced land had an average yield of seven bushels per acre, while wheat on the 23 acres of terraced land made an average of 12 bushels per acre. The terrace lines were run on the level and were built by the county grader at an approximate cost of 75 cents per acre.

E. D. Boyd of the Jackson community in Van Zandt county believes the soil conservation program is a real benefit to him. Besides the grant of \$112.80 which Boyd will receive for 12 acres planted to peas, he has gathered 10,000 pounds of peas which will supplement the feed for livestock on his farm.

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D'Hanis Doings

A round-up of Local, Personal and Business Items gathered weekly by our regular Correspondent

Miss Josie Rothe

To whom all items intended for this column should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Rothe is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

D'HANIS, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 6, 1937

Miss Grace Frey of Cuero, Marvin Fetsch and LeRoy Stainoha of Hallettsville were guests of Miss Annette Rothe, arriving New Year's Eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Thorp of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Martin F. of San Antonio spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. John Rieber. Their guests on Saturday were Mrs. W. F. Knippa of Knippa, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Haile and family of Lufkin. Mrs. Rieber left Sunday for San Antonio on a visit of several days.

Rev. William R. Lamm, his mother, Mrs. E. J. Lamm, of San Antonio, his sister, Mrs. Frelsx, her daughters of Seguin, were guests Saturday in the homes of Mrs. Elizabeth Ney, Mrs. Helen Hubbard, and Mrs. H. C. Rother.

Miss Heremon Horn returned to her home in San Antonio Sunday after spending the holidays here as the guest of Miss Cornelius Koch and Hilmar J. Koch.

Miss Mabel Weynand, having recovered from a surgical operation in a San Antonio hospital, has been at home for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Carle, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Carle and son, Francis, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Finger and children, Mr. and Mrs. James Finger and son, and Antoinette Dubray spent Sunday at Knippa, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Knippa.

Mr. Ed. Koch and sons, and Mr. and Mrs. Guenther Koch spent New Year's Day at Dunlay with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bendele.

Miss Agnes Pingerot of Del Rio was the guest of Mrs. Will Nehr last week-end.

Mrs. Oscar Shane and Mrs. Joe P. of Sabinal spent Tuesday here with relatives.

Misses Audry and Janiearle Duke of Del Rio arrived Friday to spend the week-end as guests in the H. C. Rothe home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. White returned Sunday from Cuero, where they had been guests of her mother, Mrs. B. J. Elder.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Couser had as their guests during the holidays her mother, Mrs. O. E. Arbuckle, and Mr. and Mrs. Owens Carter of Elgin.

MR. LEE ILSE DIED IN SAN ANTONIO MONDAY—FUNERAL HELD TUESDAY.

Mr. Lee August Ilse, 28, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Ilse of Sabinal died in a San Antonio hospital on Monday evening, December 28 at 7:45. Funeral services were conducted at the Methodist church by Rev. H. H. Washington, assisted by Rev. W. J. Clements at 4 P. M. Tuesday afternoon. The body was brought to the Smylie home earlier in the day.

Lee August was born September 15, 1908 at Maxwell, Caldwell County, Texas. He moved with his family to Medina County in 1911, at the age of three years. He attended school and church regularly as a child and enjoyed it. At the age of 13 he gave his heart to Christ and joined the Methodist church here, where his membership has remained.

He graduated from the Sabinal High School in 1926, and from the Texas A. and M. College in 1931. Soon afterward he accepted a position with the Southern Bagging Company of Houston, in which capacity he has served until his death. During the past few months he traveled for his company and while on one of his trips became ill about two weeks ago. This illness proved to be his last.

Lee was well known in this community and his passing is felt keenly by all. The following statements of his life were made by Rev. Washington at the funeral services; "Lee was a person who loved everyone and was loved by all. As a boy in the community, as a student in school, as a child in the home, as a citizen in the community, it was always the same he was held in the highest esteem and was everybody's friend. His employers of the Southern Bagging Company valued him highly, and in his last illness offered every consideration, financial and otherwise, to insure that he lacked nothing which science and friends could supply. His passing came as a shock to all, and reminds us that life is very uncertain and should be lived always at its best, as he tried to live it."

He is survived by his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Ilse, three sisters, Mildred, Josephine, and Edna and by three brothers, John Henry, George and Gene.

Those acting as pall-bearers were: I. F. Sullivan, Fred Helme, John Roberts, and Messrs. Ennett Crew, B. R. Barlee and Ivan Leshikar of Houston.—Sabinal Sentinel.

Lee Ilse had many friends at D'Hanis, having made his home at Kincheloe near here when his parents came to Medina County. The members of his family have the sympathy of the entire community.

SOCIAL CLUB.

Mrs. Reily Carle was hostess to the Social Club and other guests at the home of her daughter, Mrs. James Finger, last Saturday afternoon. Prizes for high score in bridge went to Miss Josie Rothe, member, and Mrs. A. V. Zerr, guest; Mrs. John Rieber received the prize for high cut and Miss Tina Rothe for low. Delicious chicken salad, cake, and coffee were served to the members, Mesdames M. A. Zinsmeyer, O. J. Reinhart, Will Nehr, Louis Carle, Jr., and Miss Josie Rothe, and guests, Mesdames Henry Biry, John Rieber, A. J. Finger, Ben Koch, A. V. Zerr,

DISTRICT COURT IN SESSION.

(Continued from first page.) and Ruby Whitfield; same plaintiff vs. H. W. Sollock and Ila Sollock and John Poerner; same plaintiff vs. L. G. Briscoe and Pearl Briscoe; same plaintiff vs. R. B. Teel and Rose Teel; also vs. J. H. Hester and Delphia Hester, suit to collect delinquent city taxes, etc. Continued.

Bertram Simpson vs. Frank Sovey, damages. Continued to perfect service.

Henry Gross vs. Louis Gross. Set for Jan. 14, at 10 A. M.

Estate of Elmer Saathoff vs. Deceased, continued pending action of appellate court.

The Court was disqualified in the criminal cases.

The following are the Petit Jurors summoned for the second week of the District Court: Allen Haby, Hy. C. Burell, Louis Stein, Emil Poerner, Hy. Finger, Ben Gerdes, John Zuberbuer, W. A. Zerr, Charlie Folk, Joe J. Boehle, Chris, Nienhofer, Harry Murphy, Fritz Droitcourt, A. B. Littleton, Earl Parsons, J. R. Chaney, R. L. Busby, C. A. Brucks, H. R. Scott, Alfred Koenig, H. E. Howard, Geo. Boehme, Alfred Stein, Fred W. Jungman, Maurice Fohn, C. R. Thompson, T. E. Garrett, C. H. Herling, H. G. Rohrbach, J. V. Barron, Leo Bohl, Reily R. Carle, E. T. Duderstadt, Emmett Cameron, Willie Appelt, and Ed T. Nester.

LADIES' AID MEETS.

The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Paul's Lutheran Church met Wednesday afternoon, January 6, at the home of Mrs. Geo. Bendele, Sr. The meeting opened with roll call after which Rev. W. C. Leibfirth briefly addressed the assembly on the subject of the justification of faith.

The following were appointed to serve on the sick committee: Mrs. Geo. Bendele, Sr., Mrs. Felix Batot, Mrs. Alfred Breiten and Mrs. H. E. Haass.

The hostess served refreshments of chicken sandwiches, cookies and coffee to the following members and guests: Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Leibfirth, Mesdames Amanda Muennink, Robert Richter, Geo. Karm, Ben Graff, Wm. Muennink, Alice Reinhardt, August Schroeder, Earnest Wolff, H. E. Haass, Paul Reinhart, F. R. Grube, Alfred Breiten, Charlotte Miller, Annie Steigler, Alfred Mechler, Felix Batot, Ben Oefinger, Emmett Nester and Casper Rohrbach and Miss Alice Muennink.

NOTICE.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Hondo State Bank of Hondo, Texas, will be held at the office of Hondo National Bank, Hondo, Texas, on the second Tuesday in January, the same being the 12th day of January 1937, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and to transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting. —4te.

P. JUNGMAN,
Secretary of the Board of Directors
of the Hondo State Bank.

WEATHER REPORT.

Hondo, Texas, for month of December, 1936.—Rainfall .94 inch. Total for 1936, 35.27 inches; average 28 inches. Temperature: highest, 80 F. on 17th; lowest, 29 on 12th. Six rainy days, 14 clear, 8 cloudy, 9 part cloudy.

H. E. HAASS,
U. S. Weather Observer,
Hondo, Texas
for last 47 years since 1889.

For Hemstitching see Mrs. R. W. Speeet, at residence opposite northwest corner of courthouse. tf.

HEADED THIS WAY!

At the Colonial Theatre Friday and Saturday nights.



JOHN WAYNE
in the Republic Picture,
"The Long, Long Trail"

LITTLE BUDDY

GEE!
SOMEBODY'S
ALWAYS STICKING
UP ADVERTISING
SIGNS ON
OUR
PROPERTY!

SUCH CRUST!
EVERYTHING ON
THE PLACE HAS
A SIGN
ON IT!!

SMOKE
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By Bruce Stuart

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LOCAL PERSONAL AND BUSINESS ITEMS FROM THIS BUSY BURG

W. F. NAEGELIN, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News and advertising copy for this column for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Naegelin or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Tuesday night of each week. Mr. Naegelin is authorized to collect and receipt for any business for this paper.

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, TUESDAY, JANUARY 5, 1937

day morning at the home of his mother, in the South part of town after an illness of several years duration.

The funeral was held Wednesday morning, Rev. Dean J. Lenzen performing the last sad rites.

He leaves a large number of brothers and sisters to mourn his passing. Isiac had been suffering intensely from inflammatory trouble, and pain relieved him from his earthly

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H. L. Mumme and family move to Boerne last week.

Victor Belzung is spending seven weeks in San Antonio.

The bans of G. Etter and Margaret Scherrer were announced in the St. Louis Catholic Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob. Beetz of San Antonio were Castroville visitors Tuesday. Robert is a former Castroville boy, who has made good in San Antonio, as he has been an employee of the Wells Fargo express for years.

Ward Boehme, a graduate of Louis High School, has accepted temporary employment in the Advisor and Collector's office.

Misses Mollie and Octavia Montel and Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Haas of San Antonio and Ralph de Monte of Hondo were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. de Monte over the weekend.

Mrs. H. F. Keller and children, Mr. Tommie Hans visited Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schott Sunday.

Misses Laura, Katherine and Johanna Kralic and brother, Mark Kralic of San Antonio were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fugus Sunday.

ISIAC GOMEZ.

Isiac Gomez, a well known Mexican, aged 37 years, died early Tues-

THANKSGIVING.

The thankfulness within our hearts gives voice to words of prayer and praise.

Then home again, beauty laden, content with my gleanings!

—MARY OCTAVIA DAVIS.

THANKSGIVING.

The Nation sets a day apart, for giving thanks of praise and cheer;

I really think down in my heart, that it should last throughout the year.

—JESSICA MOREHEAD YOUNG.

WE'RE GRATEFUL FOR ABUNDANT FOOD,

FOR DWELLING PLACE, BOTH GOOD AND WARM,

FOR KNOWLEDGE THAT THE GUIDING ONE WILL KEEP US SAFELY FROM ALL HARM

WE'RE THANKFUL FOR THE DAY AND NIGHT,

THE WINTERTIME AND BALMY SPRING,

FOR RAIN AND SUNSHINE, TREES AND GRASS—

WE THANK THEE LORD FOR EVERYTHING.

—MICHAEL D'ANDREA.

Each day brings blessings manifold; a wealth that beggars earthly joy that cannot e'er be told.

In human word;

And for these gifts and many more,

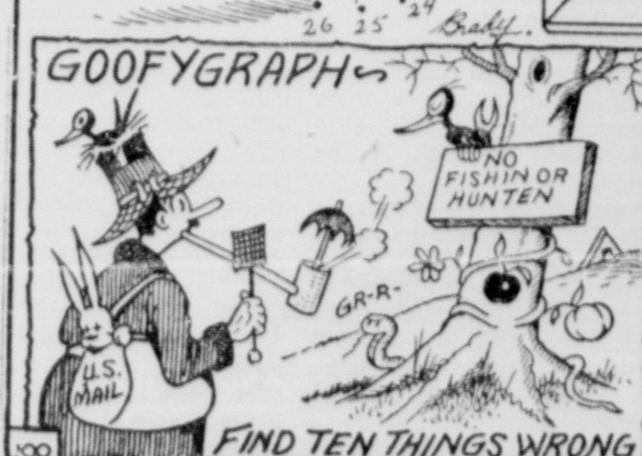
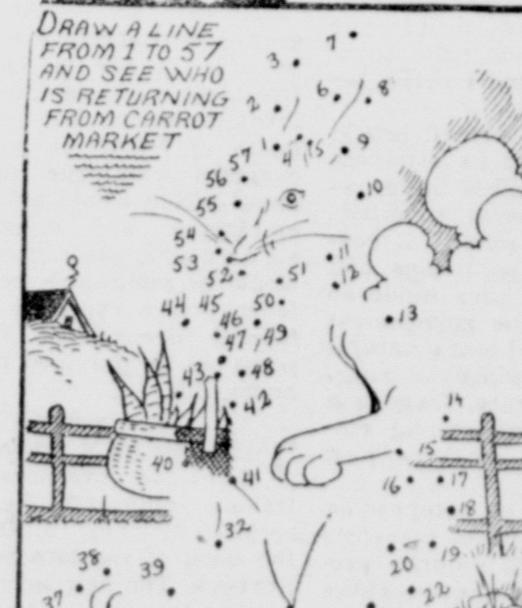
Rich treasure from thy grace store,

Which, undeserved, upon me pour.

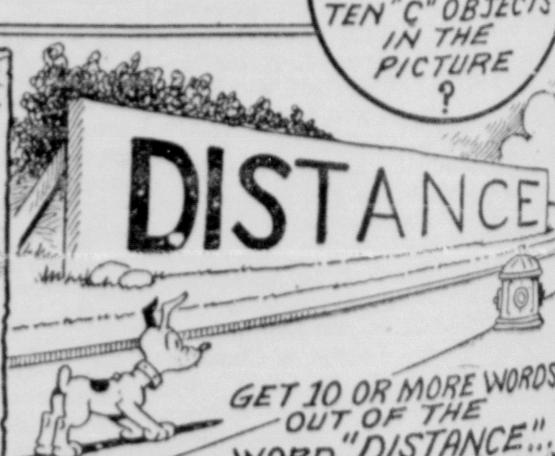
I thank Thee, Lord.

—GEO. C. ALBORN

OUR PUZZLE CORNER



FIND TEN THINGS WRONG



DISTANCE

